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25X1A 25X1	2. (JMM) Mr. and I met with Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, and reminded him of our desire to brief Senator Allen Ellender at the first opportunity. I explained that I had just called at Ellender's office, for the second time in the past week, to leave word for the Senator that we would like to get him out to Headquarters for a meeting with the Director and a briefing at his earliest convenience. See Memo for Record for details. 25X1
25X1	3. (JMM) Mr. and I met with Representative William C. Wampler and his Administrative Assistant, Ray Dotson, and
25X1A	Virginia lawyers, to try to arrange the release of American prisoners. Wampler said this information didn't surprise him and he very much appreciated our providing it. He also asked me to pass it on to the Defense Department whom he had contacted on the matter. He assured me he would protect the Agency in connection with this information. Called Colonel Milton Kegley, Special Assistant in the office of the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs), and explained my meeting with Mr. Wampler. 25X1A (Internal Use Only - JGO) Received a call from Mr.
25X1A	House Committee on Internal Security staff, has been in direct contact with and has requested his appearance before the Committee in March.

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6. (JGO) Met with Mr. John Garrity, House	
Defense Appropriations Subcommittee staff, who told me that briefings by the Secretary of Defense (who will be followed by various military	

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commanders) are tentatively scheduled to begin on 4 March. The full Committee is expected to hold an organizational meeting later this week.

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7. - JGO) Met with Mr. Herbert Roback, Staff Administrator, Military Operations Subcommittee, Committee on Government Operations, who told me that the Chairman, Representative Chet Holifield (D., Calif.), is considering reassignment of Con mittee jurisdiction of the Central Intelligence Agency to his own Subcommittee, the Military Operations Subcommittee, from the Moss Subcommittee on Government Information and Foreign Operations. Mr. Roback indicated that there is no indication that the Chairman intends to place demands on the Agency for briefings or otherwise. He noted that Mr. Helifield is completely well disposed toward the Agency and its activities, and in the past has kept up-to-date on the Agency through his membership in the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. Mr. Roback thanked me for coming by and said he would keep me posted as the situation develops.

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JGO) Met with Messrs. Russ Blandford and Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, who told me that the rules of the House Armed Services Committee provide that members of the full Committee may attend any Subcommittee meeting and participate in the meeting without vote. They feel this rule may be troublesome for the subcommittee chairmen in the coming year.

I briefed Messrs. Blandford and Slatinshek on the Soviet acknowledgment of the current naval visit to Cuba, and the "Caspian Sea Monster." It was requested that further information be provided on the latter item.

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25X1		5. ————————————————————————————————————
25X1		Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that the Committee membership of 31 Democrats and 20 Republicans could remain relatively unchanged for the coming session of Congress. In any event, changes in the Democrat/Republican makeup should not affect either the Defense Subcommittee or the handling of Agency matters. I briefed Mr. Preston on Soviet satellite communications, aerial refueling, testing of the Galosh missile, North Vietnamese deployment to the Plaine des Jarres area, North Korean naval facilities, and Soviet testing of SS-II Mod 2B.
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25X1	1. (GLC) Chief, Executiv 25X1A Staff, DDI, advised that he had been unable to make contact with State Department representatives regarding the security review of testimony on Cuba given to Representative Fascell's Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs, House Foreign Affairs Committee. I offered to contact David Abshire, Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations, State Department, on this.
25X1A	Abshire informed me that Mr. U. Alexis Johnson, Under Secretary for Political Affairs, had been handling this personally, but said he would look into it. Later in the day informed me that he had gotten 25X1A through to David Mark, Deputy Director, INR, and I canceled my request to Abshire.
	Defense.
25X1	2. GLC) Richard Perle, on the staff of the Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, called and said he was pulling together material for Senator Jackson's personal use and asked if we had any statements on the extent of Soviet and Chinese Communist activities in the Middle East, such as Libya, Somalia, Yemen, Sudan, Trucial States, Ethiopia, etc. He added that he has all the information he needs on Egypt. will provide something on this. 25X1
25X1A	25X1A 3. (Internal Use Only - JGO) In response to his earlier request
25X1A	and after checking with Mr. Office of Personnel, and Mr. Office of Security, I advised Mr. Hunter Horgan, assistant to Senator William Proxmire (D., Wis.) that we have no record of employment of Mr. doctor had requested the advise of the Senator concerning alleged employment with the Agency to aid in care of Mr.
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